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## NEWS of the WEEK

### Smith's Walk-Out

Philadelphia, Pa.—Two threats to the New Deal ushered in the National Democratic Convention. One, sponsored by Father Coughlin, launched a third party headed by representative Lemke, of North Dakota. The other consisting of an open letter calling upon all Democrats to repudiate the Roosevelt policies, signed by Alfred E. Smith, Bainbridge Colby, former Senator James A. Reed, Joseph B. Ely and Daniel F. Cohalan. Party leaders point out that all State delegations have been instructed for the President; that they could not switch to another candidate if they so desired.

### Male President Arouses Storm

South Hadley, Mass.—For 99 years Mt. Holyoke College has been headed by a woman. Of its faculty of 50 only four men hold full professorships. Therefore, when the trustees of the famous women's institution chose Dr. Roswell Gray, an English professor at Yale, to succeed President Mary E. Wooley, professor A. Elizabeth Adams ducked off a 1000-word blast at the trustees, in which she says, "from the fundamental biological qualification, the best person to head a college for women is a properly qualified woman, and to head a college for men is a properly qualified man." The trustees are sitting tight on their male choice.

### Negro Enters Naval Academy

Annapolis, Md.—With an average "A" rating from Washington High School and an appointment from Democratic Representative Arthur V. Mitchell, of Illinois, James L. Johnson, Jr., a negro, son of a Chicago mail clerk, has entered the U. S. Naval Academy, the first of his race in 61 years. Only three other negroes have ever entered the Academy. One resigned in his first year, one in his second, and the last was dismissed in 1875 in quarrel with another midshipman. It is estimated that a full course at Annapolis costs the Government \$31,000.

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### MIRTHS TO OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith will hold open house at their home on Penobscot Street Tuesday afternoon, June 30, to all their relatives and friends in observance of their fifth wedding anniversary.

### FARMERS IN COUNTY SIGN UP IN FARM PROGRAM

The county agricultural conservation committee reported this week that, on June 15, 298 farmers had filed work sheets in Oxford County, entitling them to take part in the agricultural conservation program. These work sheet signers may qualify for benefit payments for carrying out specified soil conserving and soil building practices recommended by the Maine agricultural conservation committee or the state as a whole. 8,593 work sheets had been filed on site with Aroostook county for inclusion with 2,571 sheets in the county office, Penobscot was second with 1,067. Work sheets are still being received by local commissioners and county agents, but it is now believed to be nearly complete.

The bulk of benefit payments will be the committee believe will be made for putting into practice recommended soil building practices with diversion payment of minor importance.

### MRS. CHARLES D. BEAN

Mrs. Ina B., wife of Charles D. Bean, passed away Tuesday night at her home on Mechanic Street after a long period of ill health, although the final sickness was of but a few days duration.

Services will be held at Greenleaf's Funeral Home at two o'clock Friday afternoon and interment will be at the South Bethel cemetery.

Mrs. Bean was born in Sunday River Valley, Newry, Maine, Nov. 14, 1864. She was the daughter of Elisia and Lucretia Frost Bartlett and was educated in the public schools of that town.

In January, 1884, she was united in marriage with Charles D. Bean of Bethel, who survives. Three children were born to them—Robert, of Newry; Lillian (Mrs. Homer Smith) of Bethel, and Elmer, of Colebrook, N. H. There are

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### NOTICE

Pursuant to the order of adjournment of the meeting of the inhabitants of Bethel Village Corporation, begun on the first day of June, A. D. 1936, I hereby name and appoint the second day of July, A. D. 1936, at six o'clock and fifteen minutes in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, as the time and the Corporation Building, situated in District No. 15 as the place, for the holding of such adjourned meeting and the conducting of all business which may be legally acted upon at said meeting.

Dated at Bethel, Maine, this 25th day of June, A. D. 1936.

GERARD S. WILLIAMS

Moderator of said meeting

### WARRANT FOR CORPORATION MEETING

To John P. Butts, A Citizen of Bethel Village Corporation, County of Oxford, State of Maine.

GREETINGS:—In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Corporation, in Bethel, qualified to vote in Corporation affairs to meet in the Corporation Building, situated in District No. 15, on the second day of July, A. D. 1936, at half past six o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To hear the report of the committee, appointed at the Annual Meeting held on the 9th day of March, 1936, to investigate and make recommendations for improvements to be made in the equipment of the Fire Department.

Art. 3. To see what improvements the Corporation will vote to make in the equipment of the Fire Department under Article 2.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote to grant and raise to pay for improvements to be made in the equipment of the Fire Department under Article 3.

Art. 5. To see if the Corporation will vote to create a committee and designate the members thereof, to supervise and direct the improvements in the equipment of the Fire Department authorized under Article 3.

Art. 6. To see if the Corporation will vote to grant to the town of Bethel the privilege of housing fire apparatus and equipment in property belonging to the Bethel Village Corporation and of making such alterations as may be necessary for the proper housing of such apparatus and equipment.

Art. 7. To act on any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and have you there this warrant with your signature thereon.

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of June, A. D. 1936.

ERNEST F. BISBEE  
E. A. VAN DEN KERCHVEN  
GERARD S. WILLIAMS

Assessors  
Bethel Village Corporation

A true copy

Attest: JOHN P. BUTTS



JAMES C. OLVER

### TOWNSEND MEETING

#### SUNDAY AFTERNOON

A meeting of Townsend Plan advocates will be held at Hunt's Corner next Sunday at 1 p. m. All are invited to come and hear James Oliver, candidate for Congress, and Mr. Mudgett of Portland will speak.

### SUPERIOR COURT

Clarence Maher of Mexico retracted a plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and battery on Bruce Burgess, 13 year old boy. He was sentenced to serve six months in jail.

Marguerite Peabody of Paris was sentenced to the women's reformatory at Skowhegan on an indictment charging that she set fire to a dwelling with the intent to burn it. On pleading no contest she was placed on probation for two years.

Twenty-two divorce decrees were granted by Justice George L. Emery Monday.

Mrs. Minnie A. Morgan from Guy H. Morgan, both of Bethel, cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of minor children, Rita and Madeline, to the mother and the father was ordered to pay \$10 a week for support.

Martha J. Thompson from Lloyd A. Thompson, both of Norway, gross and confirmed habits of intoxication, libellant to resume maiden name of Martha Isabel Jordan.

Mona L. Robinson from Maurice H. Robinson, both of Norway, cruel and abusive treatment, libellant to resume maiden name of Mond L. Reed.

Edwin C. Jodrie from Ethel S. Jodrie, desertion.

Daisy B. Jacobs, Parla, from Arnold L. Jacobs, Buckfield, adultery, custody of minor children, Rosalie and Arnold Jr., to the mother, father to pay \$4 a week support.

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### NEW BOOKS—BETHEL LIBRARY

#### Non-Fiction

Arctic Adventure, Peter Freuchen  
Johnny Q Public Speaks, Boake Carter

The Living Jefferson, James Truslow Adams

Fiction, Pamela Wynne

A Little Flat in the Temple, Mrs. Lee Wentzell

Amorette, Grace Livingston Hill

Mr. E. L. Brown

Rocking Arrow, B. M. Bower

High Courage, Jackson Gregory

The Hash Knife Outfit, Zane Grey

Marshall R. Hastings

California Party Tales, Monica Sharpen

Navarre on the North, Esther Bindig Durbin

Charles Morgan

The Dr. and Mrs. Robertine Kinchard

Natalie, Grace Moore

Third Man, Leslie Thompson

Musician, John W. Vandevoorde

James T. M. D. Macpherson

North Africa, Ralph Innes

John G. V. Venner

Missouri, Frank Thompson

John G. V. Venner

North Africa, Ralph Innes

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## NEWS OF THE WEEK

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## Canada's New Deal Wrecked

Ottawa, Can.—In a series of sweeping decisions somewhat analogous to those of the Supreme Court of the United States the Dominion's Supreme Court scrapped the bulk of Canada's New Deal legislation. The six justices arrived at their decisions after hearing a 50,000-word report in 14 days, studying briefs for five months. As the Court renders "opinions" only, appeal may be carried to the Privy Council in London.

## Death's Fight Aftermath

New York City.—Reports coming in from many sources indicate a trail of disaster following the defeat of Joe Louis by Max Schmeling in their heavyweight battle. Three Canadians and eight Americans, three of them Negroes, died from excitement while listening to the radio description of the fight. A Negro porter, mouth filled with corned beef, choked to death at the news of Louis' defeat. A Mexican was killed to death in a brawl after the fight. Thomas O'Rourke, 80-year-old hundred of boxers, died in Schmeling's dressing room. The Negro boxer's wife fainted when he went down for the final count. Principal injury casualty was the reputation of sports writers all of whom picked Louis to win.

## Kansas Oil Boom

Topeka, Kansas.—Kansans are teaming with a favorite song naming for the President, and bumper crops indicated as wheat, potato, corn and soy the State's oil wealth mounted when two new oil pools were discovered in Rice County. One of them produced a 10,000-barrelusher, and oil men say the Marchild pool is one of the major discoveries of the year.

## Curb on Chain Stores

Washington, D. C.—One of the last bills passed by the retiring Congress was the Anti-Price Discrimination measure aimed at the chain stores. It curbs special discounts, kills "long-leaders," discourages secret rebates and other means of giving the chains an advantage over independent stores. It is estimated that last year between 125,000 and 150,000 chain stores did 25% of the nation's thirty-billion-dollar retail trade.

## Earth's Age Computed

Rochester, N. Y.—Before the American Association for the Advancement of Science, two University of Rochester physicists explained methods by which they placed the age of the world at 250,000 years. A thousand scientists listened for two days to scientific papers, one of them describing a new and largely successful treatment for glaucoma, cause of a third of the world's blindness.

## Underwater Antics

Kinston, N. C.—With water 600 feet deep, Kinston's first submarine, the "Duke," was put through its paces yesterday. The Duke, built by the Duke Brothers of Kinston, is 30 feet long, 4 feet wide, has a crew of four and can travel at 10 miles per hour. It has a top speed of 10 miles per hour.

## To Have and To Hold

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## Belief in May Beer

Bethel, Maine.—According to some physicians of the Harvard Medical School, they have found a cure for the effects of May beer. The physicians say that the effects of May beer are not so bad as they are often made out to be.

## Major Bonus Switches

Bethel, Maine.—Major bonuses will be paid to all members of the National Guard who served during the time of the Spanish-American War. Major bonuses will be paid to all members of the National Guard who served during the time of the Spanish-American War.

## THE NEWS-WEEK IN PICTURES

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## PHILADELPHIA'S GREETING

Rock-ribbed Republican city tries

prophetic street signs to greet Democ-

ratic National Convention.



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## STANDARD BEARERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

A new picture of President Roosevelt (left), taken on his recent Southern tour. Over his right shoulder is Governor James V. Allred, and to his left Representative Maury Maverick, both of Texas. Right: A portrait bust of Vice-President John Nance Garner being unveiled at the Texas Centennial Exposition, Dallas, by Miss Electra Waggoner.



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## SOCIALIST CANDIDATE

Norman Thomas, of New York, perennial Presidential aspirant of the Socialist Party.



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## LOVE'S LABOR LOST

Carlos Suarez, torero, staged a synthetic bull fight in Los Angeles to obtain permission from humane officials to give a real fight in local Stadium. After viewing the "preview," local authorities voted "NO!"



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## OREGON ROSE QUEENS

Janet Sosymith (right) and Barbara Jean Speight, queens of Pacific Coast festival.



## SALVAGING VALUABLE WHEAT GARGO

Pumping water from the hold of the "Herzogin Cecilie," bound to pieces on the Devon coast, England, in an effort to save as much as possible of her rich cargo of Australian wheat.



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## TRAGIC END OF RECORD OCEAN VOYAGE

After breaking the sailing record from Australia to Europe by three days, the famous Finnish barque "Herzogin Cecilie" went ashore on English coast, a total wreck. Captain and his bride were on their honeymoon.

## BRYANT POND

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lind were given a home party Saturday evening and presented with a lamp.

The Ladies Aid of the First Church will have a birthday party Friday night at the town hall.

The P. T. A. field day will be announced on July 25th.

Franklin Granger of Bremen enjoyed a fine entertainment Sunday evening given by the prison band. There was a large audience. Refreshments were served.

Help yourself by buying a citizen advertiser.

## 7th Congress Quits

Washington, D. C.—With an all-time, peace or war, record of \$10,290,187,373 appropriated, members of the 74th Congress straggled off to their homes. At the final session it was decided that at least fifteen members will not seek re-election.

## Major Bonus Switches

Bethel, Maine.—Major bonuses will be paid to all members of the National Guard who served during the time of the Spanish-American War.

## Condition of the Treasury

From *Wall Street Journal*

Expenditure	Amount
Expenditure	\$250,390,394.72
Expenditure	49,591,370.41
Balance	\$250,691,628.30
Interest	4,000,660,443.34
Prudent Fund	\$4,070,574,579.96

3000

## MIDDLE INTE

Miss Katherine Carter turned home with her mother, John Carter, Jr., from college, where she was graduated June. They motored to Bethel Saturday to meet John Jr., who will spend the summer here. Philip Carter, a member of the Theta Delta Chi corps at West Point, N. Y., will be here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence are entertaining as guest and Madame Thomas' daughter, also Madame Thomas' mother, Madame Thompson, from Arizona and leave for Middlebury where they will spend except for Madame Thomas, who will shortly sail for France.

A very attractive portrait given by Mrs. F. M. and daughter, Rebecca Katherine Carter, in her recent engagement. Several Bethel friends attended.

The Mother's Club met Fannie Carter on Wednesday.

Lester

Balentine is working on the tar crew and to work for Ernest Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph family and Helen Stevens' mother, Mrs. Ernest Swan went to Southport today where they had more pleasure than luck fishing.

Marion Osgood is still measles.

Miss Jeanette Sanborn to her employment in week after spending with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sanborn.

Quite a number of the vicinity are employed in the bay press that is now at Lumbard Corner, but Gorham by the last day.

The big event of the day will take place Friday, July 25th, all friends are invited their friends and help Abbott a fine June box.

Richard Stevens is improved.

Mrs. Ada Valentine Paris helping her mother reported very ill.

Miss Lyndall Cotton is now with her sister.

Walter Balentine is back on the tar crew.

Philip Day was in the day last week.

Mrs. Lincoln Cummings called on Mrs. Boston Sunday.

Herbert Winslow called on Mrs. Boston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harrington and Peterson of Portland will end in town next week.

Alden Wilson spent time at home.

**Knot**

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The police had photographed the convict in six positions and sent the pictures throughout the country, asking the authorities to apprehend him. Promptly came the reply from U. S. marshal of Hicksville Corners, which read as follows:

"Received the pictures of criminals. Have captured five of them and am on the trail of the sixth."

"Hank" Tice and John Twaddle have been about as busy as two boys could be for the past two weeks. Have been working nights Sundays and holidays.

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## MIDDLE INTERVALE

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball are entertaining as guests, Monsieur and Madame Thomas and daughter, also Monsieur Thomas' mother, Madame Thomas. They motored from Arizona and will soon leave for Middlebury College, where they will spend the summer, except for Madame Thomas, who will shortly sail for France.

A very attractive tea was recently given by Mrs. Fannie Carter and daughter, Rebecca Carter, to Katherine Carter, in honor of her recent engagement. Several of her Bethel friends attended.

The Mother's Club met with Mrs. Fannie Carter on Wednesday.

Lester Valentine has finished work on the tar crew and has gone to work for Ernest Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Stevens and family and Helen Stevens and Ernest Swan went to South Arm Sunday where they had much more pleasure than luck fishing.

Marion Osgood is sick with the measles.

Miss Jeanette Sanborn returned to her employment in Boston last week after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sanborn.

Quite a number of the men of this vicinity are employed on the hay press that is now located at Hunt's Corner, but may go to Gorham by the last of the week.

The big event of the season will take place Friday, June 26, when all friends are invited to bring their friends and help hang Steve Abbott a fine June box.

Richard Stevens is again much improved.

Mrs. Ada Valentine is in West Paris helping her mother, who is reported very ill.

Miss Lyndal Cotton is spending a few days with her sister, Ada Cotton.

Walter Valentine has finished work on the tar crew.

## WEST GREENWOOD

Philip Day was in this vicinity one day last week buying veal.

Mrs. Lincoln Cummings and son recently called on Mrs. B. L. Harrington, Sunday.

Herbert Winslow called on P. W. Gossau, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Banks, James Harrington and Miss Hayden Peterson of Portland spent the week end in town recently.

Alden Wilson spent the week end at home.

## WEST BETHEL

Clarence Bennett has taken a pulpwood job of the Brown Company on the Gilead road.

Warren Bean was home from Auburn over the week end.

Delmont Harding, Elmo Saunders, Eddie Bennett, George Hammond and Alfred Lovejoy have employment with Clarence Bennett.

Mrs. Estella Goodridge was in Parsonsfield one day last week.

Carl White from Orlando, Fla., is guest at Allie Mason's.

Miss Ruby Bennett is at work in Waterford for the summer.

Mrs. Herman Bennett was at the Eye and Ear Infirmary for an operation on her throat last week.

Randall Gilbert from Colebrook, N. H., is ill at the home of his son, Robert, where he came for a visit Sunday.

Ernest Perkins has finished work for Jack Chapman and is at work for Clarence Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morrill.

Edward Quinn of Portland is spending the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Skillings on the North side of the River.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmeno Onofrio and little daughter from Conway were the guests Saturday of Mrs. Carlton Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barker of New York and children, also Mrs. Carrie Logan, were callers at Mrs. Carlton Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Whitman were in Bethel, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe of Locke Mills were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Rolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lord were in Lewiston one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kimball and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Ladd of Albany, and Miss Ina Good motored through the mountains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland and family spent the week end with Mrs. Kneeland's mother, Mrs. Estella Goodridge.

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## Knotholes &amp; Sawdust

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The police had photo—Alright—Alright—don't Detectives were questioned the convict in flame us. We told you that a Negro who was charged with stealing the pictures throughout the U.S. and mosquito getting anywhere one would better phone 105-3 today and let us know of the officers branch bend him. Promptly figure on those screens in the machine. "Lawzee, man," the negro exclaimed. "You call that a typewriter?" Ah thought it was a cash register. Ah was

the reply from Charlie makes good the marshal of Hicks Jonesville Corners, which read as follows: "Mrs. Brown: "Don't received the pictures you think Doctor, that of criminals. Have captured five of them and when Johnny had the on the trail of the measles?"

Doctor: "You must remember, Mrs. Brown: "Hank" Tise and John that this bill includes Twaddle have been 22 visits about as busy as two Mrs. Brown: "Yes, but boys could be for the don't forget that John Ed Skillings' at the old Mason Farm. Mule Hide been working nights, school" course.

If there were any getting some camps ready (shopping): Teacher: "Elmer, what Where can I get some is a Mugwump?"

They bought the ma—Floor Walker: "Next material right here in aisle and to your left and his wump on the Bethel: more power to the lingerie department. You, Hank and Johnny, meet Miss."

## SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and two children, Mr. Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Morgan and Forest Churchill of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lapham, Alfred Tripp and son Luther, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimball's.

Kernit Sweeney and Merton Hoyt returned to Magalloway Sunday, where they are working.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lapham were in Lewiston, Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kimball and daughter Ivy were at Mrs. Kimball's father's, Wallace Cummings', Sunday.

Floyd Kimball took some pigs to Pine Hill for A. B. Kimball, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Knights of Waterford called on Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders, Sunday evening.

Miss Dorothy E. Childs and Elmer E. Saunders were united in marriage by the Rev. Ernest T. Marble of Norway, Saturday evening. They will reside with the bride's mother, Mrs. Mae Cash, for the present.

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The Songo School closed Friday the 19th. The schools all joined in the graduation at Hunt's Corner, with a dance afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimball and Fred Littlefield and Buddy Paine were at Walter Valentine's at Middle Intervale, Monday evening.

Arthur, Mildred and Laurence Kimball, Ralston Bennett, Ade-lade Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Stone left early Sunday morning for a trip along the coast. Some of the interesting places they visited were Old Orchard, Wells and York Beach. They enjoyed their picnic dinner at York Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hook of Berlin were at A. B. Kimball's, Sunday.

Helen Kimball visited Leona Kimball, Sunday.

Miss Florence Kimball has returned from Sebago where she has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Marion Kimball.

Miss Helen Kimball visited Mrs. Cash and daughter, Mrs. Saunders, Tuesday forenoon.

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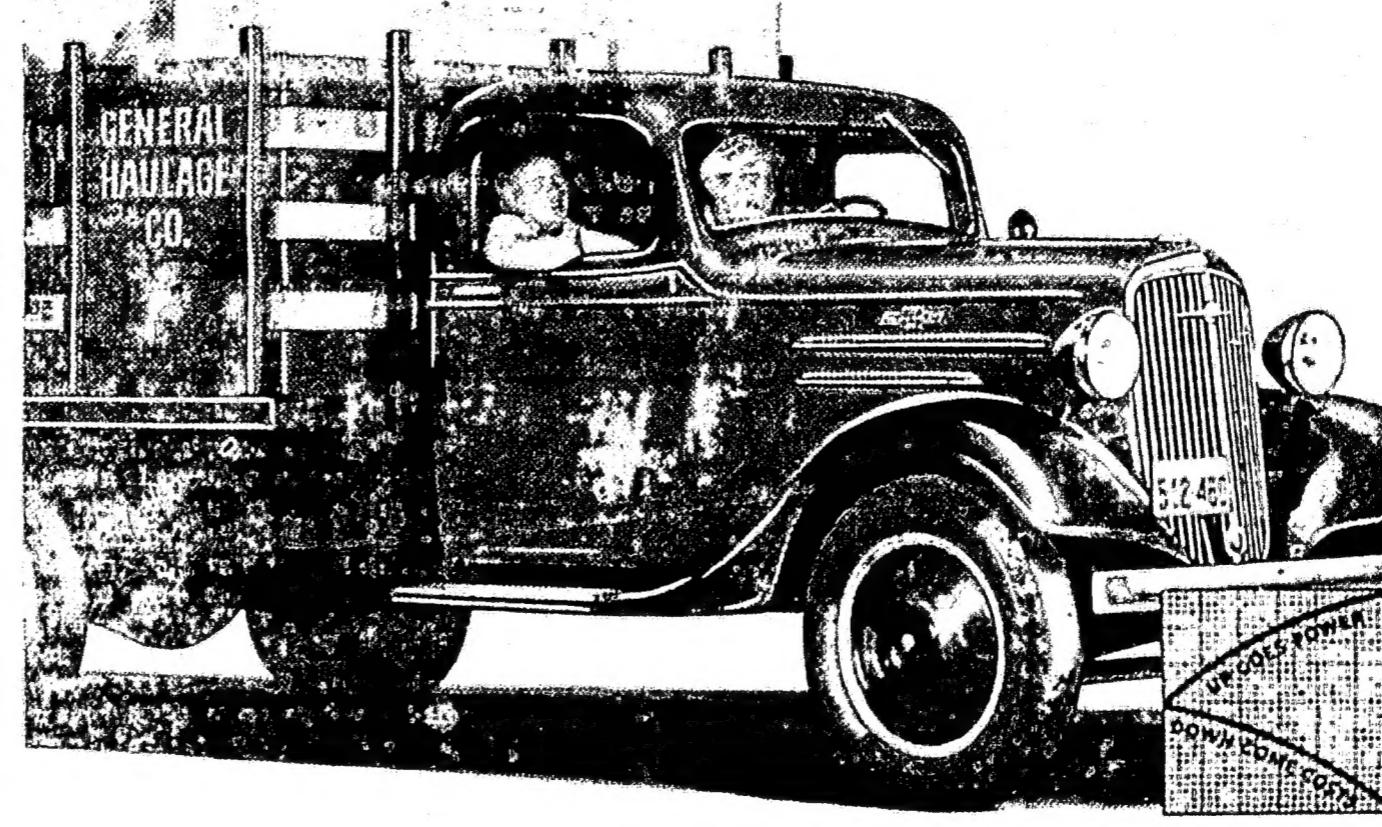
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THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 1936

**BETHEL NEEDS**  
More and Better Sidewalks—winter  
and summer  
Night Watchman—All the Year  
Enforced Traffic Rules

**EAST BETHEL****Wedding Reception**

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Olson of North Newry gave them an informal reception and shower at Newton's Hall, Friday evening. A mock wedding was enjoyed as were piano solos by Mrs. Myra Foster and harmonica selections by Charles Smith and Charles Knight.

The hall was prettily decorated with evergreen and syringas forming an arch with a large wedding bell in it. The gifts were many, consisting of silverware, glass ware, table linen, towels, Pyrex dishes, china and money. The wedding cake was made by Mrs. Charles Reed. Refreshments of fancy cookies and fruit punch were served by Mrs. Harrington and Mrs. Newton assisted by Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Moore, Miss Freda Harrington and Miss Pauline Harrington. Dancing was enjoyed until nearly midnight.

Mrs. George Knight had the misfortune to fall on the stairs at Newton's Hall and cut her head quite badly necessitating her being rushed to Bethel where Dr. R. R. Tibbets dressed the cut, taking three stitches.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings and children were in Augusta on Friday, Whitefield Friday night, and in Monmouth Saturday, returning home Saturday evening.

David Enman and Anthony Madix are helping G. K. Hastings and William Hastings peel pulp this week.

Miss Iva Bartlett is employed at Maple Inn.

Raymond Bartlett has employment at Randolph, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hastings and children enjoyed a trip through Grafton Notch to Errol and home by way of Berlin, Sunday.

S. B. Newton is building an addition to his barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Hartnett and son Clark were weekend visitors of relatives in Portland.

Eugene Brown, Bernard Hartnett, Rodney Howe, Mellon Kimball and Almon Smith enjoyed a camping trip to Spec Pond from Thursday until Saturday.

**MILTON**

Mrs. Mattie George and grandson, Harry Packard, were here recently.

The Soap Club met with Clara Jackson Saturday with a picnic dinner out of doors. All seemed to have a good time.

Harry Bullock and family visited Mansfield Packard and family at their cottage at Locke Mills Sunday.

Lee Billings is working in the mill for Axa Sessions at Abbott's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis of Rumford were recent callers at Ella Bowler's.

Mrs. George Davis is in the hospital at Rumford for treatment.

Mrs. Dasha Ackley visited her son Ernest Sessions over the week end.

**ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS**

Happenings That Affect the Dinner Falls, Dividend Checks and Tax Bills of Every Individual, National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

Yes, the forecasters were wrong. Practically all of the myriad news conducted in the country—including this one—anticipated fireworks and warfare when the elephant tramped into Cleveland. They expected that the much-publicized "Stop Landon" movement would take on cyclonic proportions. Instead, it was never more than a passing breeze, and within two days of the convention's start it had shrunk to almost a dead calm. The other candidates were no less ambitious than before to carry the GOP banner into the November lists, but they saw the handwriting on the wall, and accepted it. They had as much chance of stopping the Governor of the sunflower state as they had of stopping the tides—when the New York and Pennsylvania delegations, hitherto considered doubtful, were polled and showed heavy Landon majorities, it was all over but the formality of calling the roll of states. The same thing became true of the vice-presidential nomination, when Senator Vandenberg refused second place on the ticket. Publisher Knox was the logical and inevitable choice.

The rise of Landon will go down in history as one of the most remarkable events in American politics, whether he wins or loses in November. Two years ago few persons outside of the Middle West even knew who he was. A year later he was a national figure. And by the time the convention came round, it couldn't be questioned that his was the great measure of Republican support. As everyone knows, the so-called Old Guard would have preferred someone else—but the Old Guard's influence in the convention was practically nil. The immediate group around Landon consists of young men—some of them in their twenties, few beyond their middle forties. Landon himself is under fifty.

Equally remarkable is the fact that one of Landon's principle assets, according to some of the better political writers, is that he is not a particularly exceptional man. He is a mediocre speaker—but his manner of delivering a talk endears him to many listeners. He is never dramatic—and that many regard as a virtue. In that he will present an entirely different personality from his opponent, Master Showman Roosevelt. He is quiet, slow to make up his mind, chary of experiments. There is a wide streak of liberalism in his makeup, and that appeals to millions of voters.

Proof of the fact that he knows what he wants is found in his telegram concerning the Republican platform. The platform, trying as it did to please conflicting interests within the party, studiously avoided saying anything very definite about the gold standard. Governor Landon says he favored the amendment—and that he wanted a dollar exchangeable for gold on demand. Otherwise he said, he stood by the platform as written.

It has been observed that few voters ever read a party platform—it is usually long, involved and is far from easy. Whether that is true or not the Republican platform is shorter than most—deserves a reading by friends and foes of the GOP side. As was to be expected, it begins with a sweeping denunciation of the New Deal. Then it gets down to what the Republicans want, and includes the following important planks:

**RELIEF:** Return of relief administration to non-political local agencies familiar with local conditions. Federal grants for relief to states and territories.

**SOCIAL SECURITY:** All citizens over 65 to receive money enough to maintain them in comfort, the money to be derived from a "direct tax widely distributed."

**AGRICULTURE:** A program of abundance instead of one of scarcity. Restriction of imports. A national land use program, whereby abandoned and non-productive farm lands will be leased or purchased by the government and

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used for purposes of wild-life conservation, watershed protection and flood control, etc. Provision of ample farm credit at low interest rates. Encouragement of cooperative marketing.

**FINANCE:** Stop "uncontrolled spending." Balance the budget by drastic cuts in expenditures. Revise the Federal tax system. Oppose further dollar devaluation. Cooperate with foreign powers toward currency stabilization as soon as the national interest justifies it.

**FOREIGN AFFAIRS:** A policy of relative isolation is advocated, and opposition to American participation in the World Court or League of Nations. No entangling alliances in foreign affairs, and peaceful relations with all powers.

**MONOPOLY:** The platform denounces private monopoly, favors vigorous enforcement of all criminal and civil laws to stamp it out. Pledges maintenance of free enterprise.

In addition, the platform records itself as being in favor of the merit system (civil service) for government workers, denounces the use of patronage to create "political machines," and advocates Federal regulation of securities concerns, interstate activities of public utilities, etc. It pledges itself to the complete maintenance of Constitutional safeguards for the individual, and the safeguarding of freedom of press, speech and radio.

At the reception following the ceremony, the guest book was in charge of Mrs. E. C. Norton and Miss Herbertina Norton had charge of the gift room.

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Farrar & Hits: off J. Farrar, 7 in

5 1-2 innings, off S. Farrar, 2 in

2 1-2 innings. Impires: Williamson and Berry. Time 1:50.

**HINKLEY-CLIFFORD**

Miss Arlene Estelle Clifford and Ardell Hinkley were married Sunday, June 14, at a pretty outdoor wedding in the pine grove which adjoins the Methodist parsonage.

The bridal party came from the parsonage to the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. Mildred Lyon, and took their places under an evergreen arch where the double ring service was performed by the bride's father, Rev. P. J. Clifford, assisted by Rev. Charles Kinney of Rumford.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Richard Clifford, and during the ceremony Marsters York of Winthrop sang "Till the Sands of the Desert Grow Cold."

The bride was gowned in white crepe with a veil and carried white irises. Her matron of honor, Mrs. Doris Paine, a sister, wore pink silk organdy and carried yellow irises. The bridesmaids, Miss Minta Kimball and Miss Ruth Towle, who wore blue and pink organdy, carried yellow irises.

Miss Lorraine Collins, in white avails with blue ribbons, was the flower girl, while Harlan Blake was the ring bearer. The best man was Gerard Williams and the ushers were Norris Brown and Donald Paine.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

As I am unable to thank each of you individually, I extend to all the "Alumni, Students and Friends" my deep gratitude for the beautiful loving cup presented to me. It will always remain to me a symbol of your loyalty and friendship.

P. F. CRANE

**Platform Pledges**

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN  
*National Chairman  
Sentinels of the Republic*

America for weeks to come will remain acutely Platform-conscious. Carefully it will ponder the pledges written by each major party into the statement of policies which must serve as a chart during the next four years.

In studying those pledges America must remember that a national platform represents far more than a series of promises calculated to win popular approval.

It represents a solemn contract which should be as serious, as binding, as any covenant under law, is an agreement which should be as sincere as any made between friend and sealed with a handshake.

That is why in drafting a platform, no party, no candidate, is justified in writing mere political propaganda. None is justified in creating a catch-all for votes. None is justified in adopting the theory of the forgotten homegrown philosopher who commented:

"A platform ain't what you ride on—it's what you get in on."

America therefore must demand from a party and its candidate more than a series of promises enunciating policies under which the people may be led to believe the will benefit.

It must demand the assurance that those promises will be fulfilled to the best of the party's ability.

The furor created by the clock and managed clamor that sweeps a candidate to victory is thrilling—but short-lived.

The memory of kept or broken pledges endures.

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## CHAPTER XI

**W**HOMO murdered Mike Kelly? Pat—darling—was it you?"

The Globe had answered the question—but, "in Southampton, Barry Gilbert held this girl-of-all-girls in his arms, and asked it again."

For a moment, she stared at him, dazed and inert, and then she pushed him away.

"Let me sit down, please," she said, coldly.

She remained standing, however, when Barry released her, though she still clung to the chair at which she had stopped when she came into the room. "Do you really think I could kill anyone?" she asked, with just a trace of amusement tempering the wonder and resentment in her tone. "But, of course, I know why you think it. My father said he couldn't tell the truth because of a woman. The woman was my dead mother."

"I'm sorry," Barry began.

"It doesn't matter," the girl interrupted. "Nothing much matters now. Peter says this evening's Globe completely clears young Riddler, and that they'll probably release him tomorrow. That's all you want, isn't it? And, if you don't mind, I'll go upstairs to my father. He's really ill."

She had closed the door to the hall after her and Barry sped it. "Can I do anything?" he asked lamely.

"No, I don't think anybody can," Pat answered. "Nothing father or I could say now would help Morano, or anybody. Is Evans on side?"

"Yes."

"Then, of course, you'll see Peggy. Her worries are over. Please remember how glad I am, and that I'll care later about Jacky."

They were in the hall by this time, and the master appeared on the stairs.

"Is you come to your father, Mrs. —?" he said, quietly.

Jacking. Pat replied, just as quickly and without looking at Barry again turned and ran up the stairs.

Well, that was over—along with everything else. I made a clean sweep while I was at it." Barry told himself reluctantly, on his way to the reception. "What did I have to do with my mouth for just at the last minute? My dear mother! Those words, and my whole train of suspicion, went off the rails!"

It had taken Harwood barely more than 24 hours to get his man. "He certainly worked fast," Barry paid mental tribute; "some had identified that voice on the phone." Some time before the evening papers would reach Southampton what was the difference? Nothing much matters now," Pat had said, and it didn't. They'd probably release young Riddler tomorrow, and two days later, old Riddler be in New York. "We got plenty to do," Barry said to himself, and to Evans. "We had a cable from Mr. Riddler. He's on the Prentiss, arriving Saturday. You'd better get your wife back to town."

They were at the hospital now, and Evans made no reply.

Peggy came into the reception room. "I can't stay," she began. "Jacky's up there. He says everything's all right, but, somehow, I'm worried."

"Can you stand a bit of good news?" Harry asked.

"I don't know. I haven't had any in so long."

"It's about Jack."

He wanted to break it gently.

But Pat didn't wait.

"He's— What is it? Just another clue? Or— Go on, please."

"They've arrested Morano. Peter phoned Judge Hambridge. He says Jack'll be out tomorrow."

Peg didn't move.

At least her body didn't but she ran her tongue over her lips, and her hands opened and closed spasmodically.

After a moment: "No foolin?" she said.

It was an absurd thing to say, but, in a long experience with suffering, Barry had learned that just such things are said under stress.

"No foolin?"

Tears came into the girl's eyes, and flowed down her cheeks.

"It's in tonight's *Globe*," Barry told her. "The papers aren't here yet, but I'll ask Evans to bring you one. There doesn't seem to be any possibility of mistake. I'll go to town by the first train in the morning. I'll take care of everything, and keep in close touch with you."

"Thanks," Peggy said.

One syllable, but Barry thought he had never heard so much praise and gratitude before. His own eyes were threatened with moisture, so he declared, "You'd better get back to the boy. Pat's going to phone later, and I'll ring up tonight. That's all now."

And he left the room as abruptly as Pat had left him, a few minutes ago.

"Home?" Evans asked.

Barry nodded. That word was the last straw.

"Anything else, sir?" Evans inquired, in front of the Riddler house. "Yes, please. The instant the evening papers get to Southampton, will you bring me a copy of the *Globe*, and take one to Mrs. Rogers?"

He gave the chauffeur a quarter. "Kelly's murderer's under arrest," he continued, "and we're through sleuthing. You'll find it all in the *Globe*."

"Yes, sir."

Evans was thinking of something else.

"You understand — about Mrs. Evans?" Barry asked.

"Yes, sir." A pause. "You ain't staying here yourself, I take it."

"I am leaving tomorrow."

"I was wondering," Evans said, "would you like us to come with you?"

"Very much," Barry answered, "but it can't be done."

"You ain't always going to live in a hotel—begging your pardon, sir. Mrs. Evans is a mighty good cook."

"Thank you," Barry returned, "but my cooking's going to be provided by the state of New York. You may as well know the truth, Evans. I'm not Mr. Riddler. Never was I Jimmie's way into this house for a night's shelter, and then you and Willets came, and thought I was Riddler, and I let you go on thinking so. The game's up now. The horse gets back Saturday, and what happens then is anyone's guess."

Evans said, "Yes, sir."

"That's all, except I'd be glad if you'd tell Willets, and the rest I'll leave me introducing the subject."

"Yes, sir."

"And better stand by tonight. I may have to drive back to the bus停靠点."

"Yes, sir . . . I was wondering . . ."

Barry grinned.

"You do a good deal of that don't you?"

"I was wondering how could like to go to my sister. You know where I live in town. You could lay me there a while and then slip away unnoticed."

"It's swell of you," Barry responded. "Much obliged. But I think I've done all the slipping that's good for a man. Tell Willets, when you get a chance, and remember to bring me the *Globe*."

It was close on to five o'clock then, and "pleatly to do" before dinner. Willets wasn't about—luckily.

Barry let himself in with his key, and ran up to his room. Should he pack first, or get the rest of it out of the way?

He decided to begin with the rest of it."

From a long envelope, in his inside pocket, he took all his vouchers. Then, on a sheet of note paper, he wrote, "Received . . . Cash \$200." Beneath that, he listed the check from Mrs. Riddler, and "board, lodging etc." Under "Disbursed," he credited himself with the same check, which had been banked for



"That Leaves My Account Straight," Barry Thought.

Peggy, and with whatever sum he had given her, and a few minor expenditures. "That leaves my account straight," Barry thought. "Except for unlawful entry, tampering with the mails, and pretending to be somebody I wasn't."

It left his bank account far from straight. When he'd subtracted "Disbursed" from "Received," and made out his check for the balance, the result was a rather startling overdraft. "All right," Barry said. "I'll sell out my wardrobe. Studs, and cuff-links, and things. I guess I won't need 'em any more."

He wanted—terribly—to write a letter to Mrs. Riddler. It would have begun, "Dear Mother: (Not mine, of course)." That was too maudlin. "Me: I'm just a nobody," Barry berated himself, tucking his accounts, accompanied only by his check, into an envelope, and inscribing it, "Mrs. John Clarke Riddler, Addressed." He propped the envelope against a calendar, and, for a moment, sat looking at it. "I wish I could find my mother." He had thought, the first morning at Southampton. He wished it even more fervently now, after all these weeks of "make believe."

"I've got to write Pat," he decided, at last. "I certainly owe her an apology, and a 'good-by.'" This letter certainly mustn't be "maudlin."

"Dear Pat," he started. "Dear Pat: I suppose I should write 'Miss Hambridge' now, but I can't. You wouldn't let me say I was sorry for what happened today, but I am. I won't try to excuse myself. You'll forget it, I hope, as quickly as you'll forget everything else in this grotesque association. I won't forget. You're the realiest lady I ever knew. No this is thanks and good by to you and your father, and most sincerely trusting that your worries, like Peg's, are over—I remain always respectfully, Barry Gillett."

Packing proved complicated. Most of the clothing paid for long ago was not here, and had to be taken in. But there was no suit-case. Next, to the end, Barry folded his belongings into two tailor's boxes. He hadn't quite finished folding when Willets knocked.

"Evening paper, sir?"

"Thank you."

"And your key, sir. You left it in the front door."

"You'd better keep it. And there's a letter for Mrs. Riddler on the desk there. I'd like her to get it when she arrives."

"Very good, sir. Dinner at seven?"

"If you please."

That was all. No reference to Barry's packing, or the confession that—Barry felt sure—had been relayed by Evans half an hour ago. "I'm taking the 7:21 back to town tomorrow morning," Barry said, as Willets was closing the door, but

Willets only answered, "Yes, sir," and went on closing it.

Morano hadn't been arrested. So much was clear from the screaming headlines Barry scanned. However, "that ends it," Barry felt sure. "Harwood did a swell job. Why didn't I follow up the number of that cab? It didn't seem of the least importance when the taxi-driving medico gave it to me. I might have known it was, though, when Ernie wrote it down in his notebook."

Dinner was uneventful—with Willets remembering his "position" and behaving as any well-trained butler might have been expected to behave. Afterward, Barry phoned Peg. She had seen the *Globe*, but was still dubious. "Do you really think they'll let Jack out now?"

"Certainly. They're not going to get that sheet started again on Tammany Hall."

"And it'll be tomorrow, you think?"

"Probably. I'll keep in touch with you," Barry promised, and finished his packing. Then he re-read the *Globe* story, and marked parts of it—to ponder in town.

Throughout breakfast next morning, Barry wondered whether this remarkable butler could know he was "going for good." "I've left a few parting gifts on my desk," he ventured, at last. "For cook, and everybody. Will you take care of 'em?"

"Yes, sir."

"I shan't be back. I suppose Evans told you."

"Yes, sir."

That was too much.

Barry said, "Well, what do you think about it?"

"That's not for me to say, sir. My place is to obey orders. I've tried to do that, sir. If I've made a mistake, it hasn't been for want of trying."

"Your mistake was quite natural," Barry reassured him. "You'd been told you'd find young Mr. Riddler here, and you found me. I said I was young Mr. Riddler. That seems to let you out."

"Yes, sir."

Willets hesitated.

"Anyway, that wasn't the mistake I had in mind, sir. That was a natural mistake. I thought you were a gentleman. I still think so. It's five after seven, sir."

—To be Continued Next Week—

## GROVER HILL

W. H. Hutchinson and sons and Erwin from Bethel were day callers at their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich daughter Lois, from Portage N. H., were week end guests and Mrs. Clyde L. Whitman, and Robert Whitman, with them to Portsmouth, for week's visit with friends.

Mrs. A. M. Mann from W. H. was a guest at N. A. Stearns few days last week.

Malcolm Mundt is on mail No. 2 with C. L. Whitman, substituting for the regular Albert Silver, during his vacation.

Mrs. Vitella Crosby and son Leon Poland are home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Miller from Bernal Thorne, Harry Silver now assisted him.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Miller moved there last Thursday.

## GREENWOOD CENTER

Roy Martin was at South Paris over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jacob family of Berlin were at Wagner over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills with Miss Susie Young at Saturday.

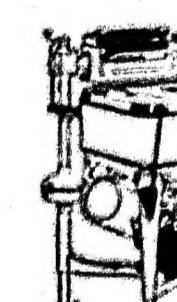
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin and son Roland visited Ross Martin's Sunday. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Detroit, Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks of Southfield called.

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Dorothy Lawrence of Sumner is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Charles Silver, Oliver Lawrence Charles Swinton worked several days on the bridge on the road that was damaged by flood last spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thurlow, Hendrickson and Maynard were Saturday guests of Laura Harriman and family atay, N. H.

Leon Poland has recovered the measles and is out again. Arthur Beck of Hartford is visiting Leon Poland's a few days, home Friday.

Arthur Beck of Hartford is visiting from Bernal Thurlow's to Harry Silver and Bernal now assisted him.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wight, son Willard Wight and Miss Carrie Wight took a motor trip to Orono the last of the week.

The young people of North Newry will present the three act comedy "The Man From Nowhere," at the Grange Hall, Newry Corner, Friday evening, June 26th at 8:15, daylight time. Refreshments will be on sale. This is given for the benefit of the church at North Newry, and is under the direction of Miss Carrie Wight.

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R. M. Bean and Clarence Enman were at L. E. Wight's, Sunday.

Rexford Powers climbed Old Spec, Monday.

H. H. Morton lost a nice cow about a week ago.

I have sent you a book which I hope you can use, With dresses to cut out—any you choose. Now don't feel bad if you are quite sick. For this time next week you'll feel quite slick.

NORTH NEWRY

John B. Matthews and family of Malden, Mass., have arrived at their camp here Saturday for the summer.

H. H. Hanscom and family motored to Magalloway Sunday, where they enjoyed a picnic dinner. Mr. Hanscom remained up there where he is working on the road.

J. B. Vail has a Chevrolet truck purchased recently.

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STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinabove named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said May. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinabove indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1936, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Eva I. Hastings, late of Bethel, deceased; first and final account filed for allowance by Margaret R. Goddard, executrix.

Witness, Peter M. MacDonald, Judge of said Court at Paris, this 19th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six.

13 FRED W. ROWELL, Register.

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NEWRY CORNER

Frances Fuller of Upton has been visiting Mrs. Edgar Worster for several days.

The young people of North Newry are practicing for a play to be given at the Grange Hall in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thurston of Rumford spent the week end at Henry Learned's. Mrs. Learned returned with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlan Wentworth of West Milan visited Mrs. Minnie Wentworth and Vera Lockhart at Bear River T House, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. MacDonald of Milan has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Robertson, and her brother, Leslie Corbett, for a few days.

SOUTH BETHEL

Daniel D. Cross and wife of Michigan are visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Brooks.

Mary Cole, who has been working for Joseph Leonard has finished her work and returned to her home at Mechanic Falls.

George Blowers, who boards at Henry Hall's, is in poor health.

Daniel Cross and wife, Frank Brooks and wife, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Daley's of Portland, Sunday.

Ernest Brooks of Greenwood is making calls in this place, Thursday.

Joseph Leonard was in Norway on business, Monday.

Merl Hinkley and family of this place have moved to Bird Hill.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present their name for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:

Frank R. Flint, late of Bethel, deceased; Blanche W. Flint of Bethel, executrix without bond, April 21, 1936.

William H. Robinson, late of Greenwood, deceased; Perais Allcock Gallant of Bethel, administratrix without bond, May 19, 1936.

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**FOR SALE**

**FOR SALE** - Young Canary Birds, both Rollers and Choppers. \$3.50 to \$5.00. MRS. LLOYD THOMPSON, R. P. D. 1, Bethel. 14

**ANOTHER LOT** of those fine Willows direct from the factory in Mass. due to arrive June 26. Shipment of June 17th all sold out and another fresh lot coming. BETHEL AUCTION CO. 12P

**Order Year Dressed** Broilers, Chicken or Fowl, to be delivered every Friday, from GUY BARTLETT, East Bethel. 12

**BOAT FOR SALE** - Newly painted. L. W. RAMSELL. 9ft

**NOTICE** - For Trades In Good Meat call at Sanborn Farm, next to Steam Mill. Any amount sold at reasonable prices. Fridays and Saturdays. FRANK SPRAGUE, Dealer in Livestock, Bethel. 32ptf

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**TO LET** Five Rooms and bath, downstairs. Partly furnished if you like chance to keep cow and room for car. Inquire Citizen Office or Tel. 33-3. 14p

**GIRL** - Red Cross trained; wants work as mother's helper, doing housework, or will take children to care for. Inquire MRS. KEDDY, Mason Street. 13

**WANTED** - Washings to do. Prices reasonable. MRS. SIMEON KEDDY, Mason St. 12p

**Firearms, Ammunition, and Trap-  
pers' Supplies**, bought, sold, and exchanged by H. L. BEAN, Bethel, Maine. Dealer in Raw Furs, Deer Skins, Hides and Pelts. 11p

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Littlehale went to Springfield, Mass., today. Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbets were at Westwinds Inn, Yarmouth, on June 19 to attend the thirty-fifth anniversary dinner of the class of 1901 of the Maine Medical School.

**Married**

In Winthrop, June 21, by Rev. James H. Burns, Clarence E. Conant and Miss Rachel B. Pearce, both of Hebron.

In Bethel, June 14, by Rev. P. J. Clifford, Ardell Minkley and Miss Alice Clifford, both of Bethel.

In Damarable, Mass., June 20, Walton H. Sears, Jr. and Miss Carol Foster.

In Norway, June 19, by Rev. Ernest T. Marble, Elmer E. Saunders and Miss Dorothy E. Childs.

In Bethel, June 20, by Rev. P. J. Clifford, Leonard Tyler of Bath, El and Miss Ivy Brown of Rumford Center.

In Bryant Pond, June 24, by Rev. James MacKillop, Seymour McAlister and Miss Miriam S. Davis, both of Bryant Pond.

**Died**

In Bethel, June 22, Mrs. Isa, wife of Charles D. Bean, aged 71 years, in South Paris, June 22, Carroll B. Penley, aged 37 years.

Flood and leaching on harvested areas in the United States cause annual losses of \$5,000,000 tons of plant feed elements compared with 10,000,000 tons removed by crops.

**Windshield Cleaner**  
That will do the work in a flash and to the brilliancy of a sparkling diamond. Complete demonstration costs only a penny. Every automobile owner and operator needs this wonderful preparation. It is not known who ever looking through a dark and streaked window.

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Size bottle, fifteen cent  
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Bogie I, Bethel, Maine.

**MRS. CHARLES D. BEAN**  
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16 grandchildren and one brother, Fred Bartlett of Mechanic Falls.

It seems fitting that we pause in the regular routine of our lives to pay tribute to this much loved woman, whose untiring devotion combined with her willing hands have soothed so many sick and weary people in the past years.

Of a courageous optimistic nature, she overcame obstacles that would have damned many. Her cheery smile and unselfish deeds for others' happiness will ever be an inspiration and a benediction.

In her home and the near and dear members of her family lay her complete happiness. It was here that her friends received royal hospitality, for brightening not only the home but serving and loving every needy soul as well as being a comforter to those in trouble seemed to be her aim through life.

And still with all the close homes ties and her warmth of affection for her own, she was not selfish in her love. It passed out and beyond the family circle to a host of friends and even in her last hours she requested those with her to "Say good-bye to my old friends for me."

We will not call her dead. We cannot believe all the goodness and brightness of life could end. It was a flight into some other country, which is made better and brighter because of her presence there,—near or far, we cannot tell.

I think it is not far—  
The way we go,  
Nor will the way be strange.  
For us to know.  
For "over there" is just  
The same as here—  
The earth a shadow is  
Of heaven near.

When bowed with a weight of sorrow  
We see dimly through our tears,  
And we long for the sweet toned music

Of a voice we have loved for years,  
Then it's hard to repeat "Our Father."

And "Thy will be done" to say,  
When the one we loved the dearest  
Has been called by God away.

The sun's golden gleams of splendor

Shine soft from the cloudless West,  
But how can we look at its beauty  
When sorrow is filling our breast?

The birds carol soft from the tree tops—  
We care not for their musical strain,

For death has so surely and swiftly

Filled our lives with bitterest pain,

You tell us the flowers are bloom-

ing:  
Oh, you can not comfort us so,  
For over our hearts unrelenting

Sweep the rushing waters of woe.

In vain we list for the footstep

That oft sounded so buoyant and free.

All in vain we long for the coming

Of one we shall never more see.

Until we are freed from earth's tribbles

And pass over the narrow way

To the gates of that wonderful city.

Where Eternity abides but a day

We are taught that in loving kind-

ness

Such trials to us are given;

So in sadness we bow to God's power.

There's one more waiting in Heaven.

Bethel, June 24th, 1936. A. K. M.

Miss Amy Wheeler is confined to her home with illness.

Admission Children, 20c Adults 35c

Show Starts at 8:20

Friday-Saturday, June 26-27

Bing Crosby Ethel Merman

Charlie Ruggles

"ANYTHING GOES"

Chapter Two of "Flash Gordon"

**CHURCH ACTIVITIES****CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**

Sunday, June 28th

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister  
11:00 a. m. Children's Day. The Sunday School will conduct our morning worship. The Sacrament of Baptism will be observed.

The Sunday School children are asked to meet in the Chapel for rehearsal on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

If there are parents who wish to have their children baptised will they please communicate with the Minister before Sunday morning?

A Sunday School picnic will be held at Songo Pond on Monday. We plan to leave the Chapel at 10 o'clock and return early in the afternoon. Parents are invited to come with us especially the mothers of the smaller children. We shall each bring a picnic lunch. We would be grateful to have volunteers offer with their cars to help transport the School to and from the Pond.

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Rev. P. J. Clifford, Minister

9:45 Sunday School.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship, Children's Day service by Pastor, Subject, Flags.

No evening service.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**

Sunday School at 10 o'clock

Services Sunday morning at 10:45

"Christian Science" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 28.

The Golden Text is: "The kingdom of heaven is like unto leaven, which a woman took and hid in

Among the citations from the three measures of meal, till the whole was leavened" (Matt. 13:33).

Bible is the following: "Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed him, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed; And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free" (John 8: 31, 32).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:

"The Principle of divine metaphysics is God; the practice of divine metaphysics is the utilization of the power of Truth over error; its rules demonstrate its Science" (Page 111; 11-14).

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

**WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH**

Rev. Alton Verrill

10:30 a. m. Morning worship. Sub-

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